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## SECRETARY ROOT'S MAP

Position of American Troops in the Philippines is Marked Off in Every Particular.

Plans to Conquer the Filipinos are Effected With a View of Closing the War.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—The map of the Philippines and especially of that portion of the island of Luzon north and south of Manila, which has been prepared for the use of Secretary Root, may assume a more important part in the coming campaign than has been given it heretofore. Secretary Root has not only ascertained where the United States troops are located and has them nicely marked off on the map, but he has also taken into consideration such information as can be obtained relative to the population of the adjacent country, the kind of people and their disposition toward the United States. The secretary has also been studying the lines of transportation and learning what he can of the geography of the country.

It is believed that more than one army can operate to advantage in the Philippines and the suggestion has been made by some army officers that an army should start from different points and operate in such a manner as to distract and destroy the Filipino forces. At present the United States forces do not occupy the line of railway half way to Lingayen, on the gulf of the same name.

It has been suggested that if one force were to start from Lingayen and move south at the same time that another were moving north there would be a very great probability of soon securing the entire railway for the use of the army and the insurgents would be separated into divisions east and west by the railroad, as they are now divided into northern and southern bands. Between Angeles and Lingayen is Tarlac, a town of considerable size and situated in a province where the natives are said to be not unfriendly to the United States. If this province could be occupied it might be of great advantage to the government.

While these are merely suggestions, it may be that when the army in the Philippines consists of 60,000 men, instead of about 20,000 or 25,000, it will be possible to have four or more armies operating instead of two, as during the last campaign.

The locations of troops, as marked by pins on the map prepared for Secretary Root, show the places as follows: North of Manila, under General MacArthur—A point above Angeles (General Wheaton), Angeles, Porac, Calulit, Santa Rita, San Fernando (General MacArthur), Batis, Candaba, San Luis, Calumpit, Malolos, Quingna, Baluga, Bustos, Guiguinto and Bigan, South of Manila—Imus (General Lawton's headquarters), Mingting, Lupa, Cavite, Bucoor, Talaba, Paranaque, Taguig, Pasig, Marikina and points adjacent around the aqueduct and pumping station, Taytay, Antipolo, Moneg and Culamba, the farthest point south, and which has no communication by land.

Miss Horlocker in An Asylum.  
HASTINGS, Neb., Aug. 20.—Word comes to Hastings that Miss Viola Horlocker, who is resting under a \$5,000 bond charged with having attempted to take the life of Mrs. Charles F. Morey by sending her a box of poisoned candy on the tenth day of last April, is now in an insane asylum at Jacksonvile, Ill.

About two months ago Miss Horlocker went to New York City to visit her sister and recuperate, but it was generally thought at that time that she would not return to Hastings to attend the continuation of her hearing which was to come up in the equity term of the district court September 25, after which she was to have been bound over to the jury term of the district court in December. It is the general feeling here that Miss Horlocker will be adjudged insane and this celebrated case will thus be brought to a close.

Triple Hanging in Alaska.  
SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 20.—Passengers on the steamer City of Topeka, which arrived tonight from Skagway, Alaska, bring news of the first legal execution in the Klondike.

A triple hanging occurred at Dawson on August 4. The parties hanged were two Indians, Dawson Nantuck, Jim Nantuck, and one white man, Edward Henderson. Henderson was convicted of murdering his partner, named Peterson, on the trail near Marsh Lake, in September, 1897. The Indians were convicted of murdering William Mahan and injuring his partner, James Fox, on the McClintock river, in May, 1898. There were originally four Indians implicated in the murder of Mahan, but two of them died in jail at Dawson last fall.

The execution was private and passed off without special incident.

R. P. Nelson of Wisner was run over by his harvesting machine and seriously injured. He was caught in front of the sickle and impaled on the guards, being severely cut and bruised about the hips and legs.

## BOY SUFFERS AN ACCIDENT.

Weeping Water Boy Badly Injured by the Bursting of a Shotgun.

The following account of a deplorable accident to a boy at Weeping Water is taken from the State Journal:

"William Crasier, a boy about sixteen years old, and son of Thomas Crasier, section foreman on the Missouri Pacific railroad here, met with a very painful accident yesterday about 4 o'clock p. m. He was practicing with an old shotgun, and it burst, driving a piece of the end of the barrel, two and three-quarters inches long, and one and one-half inches wide, through his left arm below the elbow, entering on the inside of the arm and sticking out through the skin on the outside. This was taken out by Dr. Butler, and also a smaller piece out of the elbow. The arm is badly mangled, but no bones are broken, and he rested very well last night, but the wound is a terrible one, being made by that ragged chunk of iron."

## TROUBLE AMONG THE SOLDIERS

Riot at Leavenworth Results in Two of the Participants Being Wounded.

LEAVENWORTH, Kan., Aug. 20.—A riot between the soldiers of the Thirty-second Volunteer regiment and North Leavenworth negroes took place this afternoon, during which shots were fired and one man was wounded on each side.

The soldiers had trouble with a negro named Alex Johnson last Sunday and when Johnson met a couple of volunteers near the Fort Leavenworth reservation today he renewed hostilities by knocking a soldier down. Volunteers and negroes soon gathered in force and clubs, stones and guns were brought into play. The soldiers outnumbered the negroes and ran many of them down towards the center of the city, where the police quelled the riot.

Corporal Johnson of the Third battalion was shot in the left leg. Alex Johnson was shot in the left shoulder and is seriously injured.

The Missouri Pacific railroad will run an excursion to Omaha on August 25 on account of the exposition. The train will leave here at 9:45 a. m. The rate will be 60 cents for the round trip, tickets good to return till the 27th.

## VETERANS OF THE FUTURE.

What May Be Found in Daily Papers Thirty Years Hence.

The reunion of the Society of the Survivors of the Battle of Cavite at Madison Square garden last evening was a most successful occasion from both a social and financial point of view. Over 7,000 members were in attendance, nearly four-fifths of the entire membership, and the accommodations of the hall were strained to the utmost. After the banquet addresses were made by a number of the prominent members, and letters of regret were read from the president and the governors of New York, Pennsylvania, Porto Rico and Cuba. Among those who addressed the meeting were Rev. George Dewey Fitzgibbons, Dewey Milla Brown, Cavite G. Jones, Governor Philippine Olympia Green, and Vice President Raleigh Concord Tubb. After the banquet was over dancing was indulged in until a late hour. "The Patriotic Order of the Sons of Cuban Liberty gave an entertainment in their hall at 1647 Bowers last evening, the receipts of which are to go toward building a monument to the memory of the Cubans who lost their lives in the late war. A fair attendance was present and the musical numbers were rendered by Mrs. Santiago Cortez Coogan, Cienfuegos Murphy, Amphitrite Cook and Matanzas Johnson. Mr. Habana O'Donoghue made quite a hit with his recitation of "When Gomez Marched to Dinner." Quite a neat little sum was realized. "From Simpson, Ky., comes a dispatch which says that John K. Littlejohn, a gunner's mate on the Nashville in the late war with Spain, who claims to have fired the first hostile shot of the war, died in that town on Wednesday. We have no wish to doubt the veracity of the Sampson Bugle, but at the same time Mr. Littlejohn is the twenty-third man to die since the war was ended claiming the honor of having fired the first hostile shot. Isn't this rather overdoing it?" "Schley J. O'Brien, 28 years of age, was picked up by Officer Good on Blecker street last night in an intoxicated condition. Before Judge Cooley this morning O'Brien claimed that his condition was the result of discussing the war with Spain in the Maine saloon yesterday evening with two old cronies, Bill Dewey Naughton and Bagley Terror O'Rourke. Judge Cooley declared that in view of the circumstances the prisoner was lucky to offend by a mere plain drunk and Mr. O'Brien was released. "A youth giving his name as Augustus Cuba Libre Lightfoot was arrested yesterday while acting in a suspicious manner on Broadway. Lightfoot is thought to be an alias of Hot Shot Smith, a noted sneak thief, who has of late been operating successfully in the neighborhood of Fifth avenue and Thirty-eighth street. The prisoner claims to have been the first child born on Cuban soil of American parents after the capitulation of Havana. He is still in custody."

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Detectives are scouring Northwestern Nebraska in the belief that some of the Union Pacific train robbers are in that section.

## CATTLEMAN MURDERED.

Cold-Blooded Crime Is Committed by a Young Sheepman Near Town of Chadron.

Quarrel Over Pasturage Rights Causes Frank Coil to Use His Revolver.

CHADRON, Neb., Aug. 21.—Thomas Ryan, a prominent cattleman, was shot and instantly killed by Frank Coil, a young sheepman, fifteen miles southeast of this city early this morning.

This disastrous affair is the direct result of a feud that has always existed between the cattlemen, who claim priority of right on pasturage lands, and the sheepmen, who have insisted that they were equally entitled to the general use of the land for the grazing of their sheep.

From reports coming in from the scene of the murder, it is learned that Ryan was the aggressor and insisted that young Coil, who is but twenty-one years old, should move his sheep from where they were then grazing. This Coil refused to do. Hot words were exchanged, when suddenly, without a word of warning, young Coil whipped out a revolver and, taking deliberate aim, shot Ryan, killing him almost instantly. Friends of Ryan soon notified the coroner, but up to a late hour he had not returned from the scene of the tragedy.

Coil immediately came to this city and gave himself up. When questioned he seemed greatly excited and nothing authentic could be learned from him. The cold-blooded murder of Eckman, who was shot down by cattlemen several months ago, is still fresh in the minds of every one. In view of the intense feeling prevailing between the two factions, the outcome of the murder of Ryan will be watched with unusual interest.

The prediction is made that more blood is likely to flow, unless some more definite agreement can be satisfactorily agreed on to govern the rights of the cattle and sheepmen, who are constantly warring with each other over pasturage lands.

## LABOR ONCE MORE IN COURT.

Dreyfus' Counsel Is Sufficiently Recovered to Resume Work.

RENNES, Aug. 22.—The second day of the third week of the second trial by court-martial of Captain Alfred Dreyfus on the charge of treason began at 6:30 this morning.

Maitre Labori was present. He drove to the court in a carriage and entered the hall at 6:30. The audience greeted him by standing up and by a general clapping of hands. Maitre Labori walked quite briskly but holding his left arm close to his side in order not to disturb the wound. He met General Mercier and General Billot in the middle of the court room, stopped, chatted and smiled. Labori looked very well. He was given a cushioned arm chair.

Mme. Labori, looking well, was also in court. Labori was warmly congratulated by friends. Captain Dreyfus on entering smilingly shook hands with Labori.

Colonel Jouaust addressed a few words of congratulation to Labori and expressed the profound indignation of the tribunal at the attempt to assassinate the counsel. Labori was much moved and thanked Colonel Jouaust in an eloquent speech.

Indians on the Rampage.  
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—A special from Winslow, Ariz., says: Two hundred Indians in Foreman Mink's grating gang at Navajo Springs, seventy-five miles east of here, are threatening to exterminate all the whites in that section. They were paid off on the 15th and proceeded to gamble and drink heavily. A gambler named C. H. Laddreth, after a quarrel with some of them, assaulted one, shooting and stabbing him seriously. The tribe armed themselves with all the weapons in the camp, shot the gambler seven times, scalped him and mutilated his body beyond recognition.

Troops from Fort Wingate have been ordered to the scene and serious trouble is feared.

Nine Soldiers Are Drowned.  
MANILA, Aug. 21, 5:40 p. m.—While a reconnoitering party of the Twenty-fourth infantry, under Captain Crane, was crossing the Maringina river on a raft today the hawser broke. The current, very swift at this point, caused the raft to capsize, drowning nine enlisted men.

The United States transport Tartar, from San Francisco, July 24, with General Joseph Wheeler and his daughter, troops of the Nineteenth infantry and more than \$1,300,000 in coin, has arrived.

Germany Leads in Electric Railroads.  
Germany has more electric street railroads than any other European country. Next in order come France, England, Italy, Switzerland, Spain and Belgium.

United States Coin in Hawaiian Islands.  
Nearly all the gold coin in circulation in the Sandwich Islands is of United States' mintage.

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Was the result of his splendid health, indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels are out of order. If you want these qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c at F. G. Fricke & Co.'s drug store.

A FOX HUNT SPOILED.  
Old Josh Parkens Knocked Reynard Over with His Gun.

When the swell riding club from the city went away up into Galoon township to ride to hounds, and incidentally follow the course of the fox, it arranged with old Josh Parkens to provide the fox, says the Detroit Free Press. He was offered liberal pay for attending to this preliminary, but he declared that he was something of a fox chaser himself, and would call it square if they'd let him "hunt" in the spot. There was no good reason to offer for barring him, and the committee satisfied its conscience by telling him to be on hand half an hour later than the time really fixed for making the cross-country dash. Sure enough, the hounds were giving tongue, and the ladies and gentlemen in their gay attire were just beginning to form a procession which grows from the bunch in which they start, when old Josh burst with a whoop from a thicket on the side. He was on a rawboned mount that had a wonderful gift of shuffling over the ground, and he carried a six-foot rifle of the olden times. He went after the fox at an angle that compelled it to cover about two rods to his one, and before the riders could prevent he had ended the sport by putting an ounce of lead through the game. There were some vigorous protests against this mode of fox hunting, which put a stop to the fun just as it commenced, but John only said: "What was them city swells huntin' a fox fur if it warn't to git 'im. I knocked him over cold afore all them women folks, and the other fellers was jealous. Every one of 'em had gone huntin' without his gun. I never see nuthin' like it since I was born."

Sealed Proposals.  
Sealed bids will be received at the office of the county clerk until 12 o'clock (noon) of September 5, 1899, for hard and soft coal to be delivered at court house, jail, poor house and paupers for the ensuing year. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. JAMES ROBERTSON, County Clerk.

A Question of Locality.  
"I'll tell you one thing," said Madpop to his long-suffering wife, "if Will does not behave himself I'll give him the worst spanking he ever had. He'll get it on the neck." "Do be serious, my dear," replied Mrs. Madpop. "The neck is no place on which to spank a child."—Harper's Bazar.

His Word.  
"Just think of his committing suicide for love! Wasn't it awful?" "It was the only way he could keep his word, poor boy, for he had avowed to her that he would never love another woman."—Ex.

French Courts.  
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English Ambassadors.  
There are only seven ambassadors representing England abroad. The seven great powers entitled to receive them are France, Austria, Germany, Italy, Russia, the United States and Turkey. Their salaries range from \$35,000 to \$50,000, the British ambassador at Paris receiving the highest sum and holding the most coveted post in the diplomatic service abroad.

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A Valuable Echo.  
The most remarkable echo in the world is that which comes from the north side of a church in Shipley. It distinctly repeats any sentence not exceeding twenty-one syllables.

The Cheerful Presence.  
"I can't understand how some people always have a good time wherever they go."  
"That's easy enough; they take it along with them."

There are over 300,000 series arc lamps in service in the United States at the present time.

Japan's New Commercial Museum.  
Japan has established at Yokohama an imperial commercial museum, modeled after the one in Philadelphia.

Against Cut-Rate Drug Stores.  
Baltimore druggists have organized and will try to stop price-cutting in medicines.

British in India.  
There are only 100,000 British in India—one to every 8,900 of the population.

Hamilton Clark, of Chauncey, Ga., who suffered with itching piles twenty years before trying De Witt's With Hazel Salve, two boxes of which completely cured him. Beware of worthless and dangerous counterfeits. F. G. Fricke & Co.

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### Expected Too Much.

"What kind of a time did you have on your vacation, Rumley? Did the friend you visited treat you well?" "Yes, but not often enough."—Detroit Free Press.

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### He Needs Protective Armor.

Bob (to Tommy, who has just been spanked)—"Tommy!" Thomas—"Yes." Bob—"Don't you wish you were an ironclad?"—Harper's Bazar.

Both Mary Queen of Scots and George II. were buried at midnight.

### Mountains in the Philippines.

The highest mountains of the Philippine islands are Halcón (Mindoro), 8,868 feet; Apo (Mindanao), 8,804 feet; Mayon, active volcano (Luzon), 8,283 feet; and San Cristobal (Luzon), 7,375 feet.

### Oriental Swallows.

In Palestine swallows are allowed the freedom not only of the houses and living rooms, but of the mosque and sacred tombs, where they build their nests and raise their young.

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Miss Annie Oakley writes: "Myself and many of the Buffalo Bill Wild West Co. have given Allen's Foot-Ease, the powder to shake into the shoes, a most thorough trial, and it does all if not more than you claim." It instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain cure for swollen, hot, aching, nervous or sweating feet. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Sample sent free. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

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